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Language: English *Country:* England *Century:* 15th

Part 1: ff. 1-252v

Description: - Parchment - 164 x 113 mm - In Rules for Finding Lessons (ff. 1-12v), 34-6 lines in six columns. In main text, 35 lines in two columns. Ruled in pencil. Catchwords and prickings still visible.

Country: England

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Number of Scribes: ;

Script: Late gothic with cursive elements

Other Decoration: Large blue initials on gold fields or gold initials on red/blue fields, with long extensions into margins. Smaller blue initials with red penwork. Blue placemarkers. Rubrics. Notes of chapter number in upper margin.

Notes: Latin

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1: ff. 1-251

Other Associate: John Wycliffe and followers

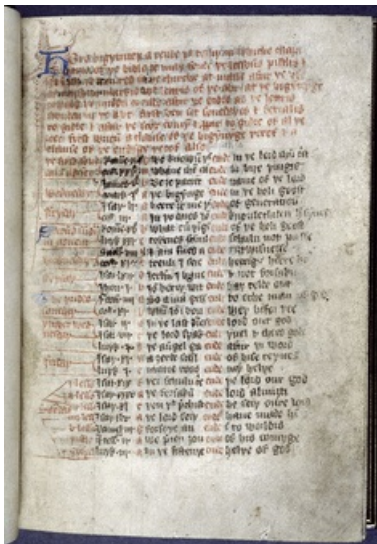
Title: Here bigynneth the prolog on Matheu Bible, New Testament

Language(s): English

Incipit: Matheu yt was of Judee as he is set first in ordre of the gospeleris: so he wroot first the gospel in Judee

Explicit: i come soone amen come you lord ihesu the grace of our lord ihesu crist be with you alle amen.

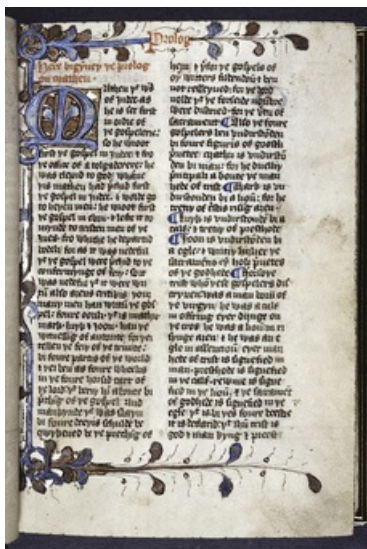
Notes: Later version, containing on ff. 119-121v an additional and otherwise unknown prologue to the Epistle to the Romans, possibly of Wycliffite authorship; the table lists lections from the Old Testament as well as those from the epistles and gospels.



f. 1 Opening of rule for finding lessons. Initials, rubrics.

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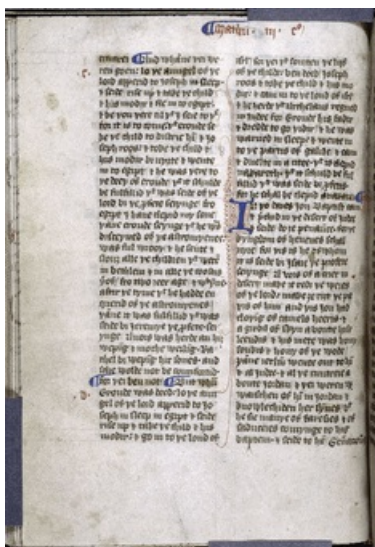
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f. 14 Opening initial on gold field with decorations extending into border.

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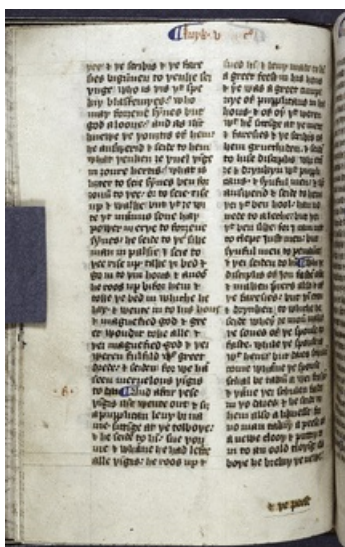
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f. 15v Page of text with smaller blue initial and penwork.

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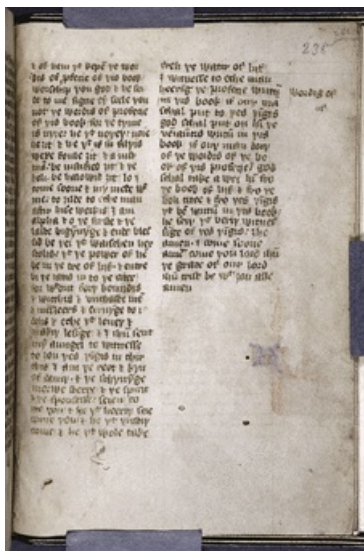
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f. 68v Catchword. Note of chapter and verse in upper margin.

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f. 251 Explicit.

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